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[THE BOMBAY LEGISLATURE MEMBERS (REMOVAL OF DISQUALIFICATIONS) ACT, 1937.]

[*18th October 1937.*]

An Act to provide for the removal of certain disqualifications for being chosen as and for being a member of the Bombay Legislative Assembly and the Bombay Legislative Council.

WHEREAS by the Government of India Act, 1935, provision has been made for declaring by Act of the Provincial Legislature any office of profit under the Crown in India not to disqualify its holder for being chosen as and for being a member of a Provincial Legislature; and whereas it is expedient to make such declaration; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

26 Geo. 5, c. 2.

1. This Act may be called the Bombay Legislature Members (Removal of Disqualifications) Act, 1937. Short title.

2. A person shall not be disqualified for being chosen as, or for being a member of, the Bombay Legislative Assembly or the Bombay Legislative Council merely by reason of the fact that he holds any of the offices specified in the Schedule appended hereto. Removal of certain disqualifications.

3. The provisions of this Act shall be deemed to have come into force on the 1st day of April 1937. Act to come into force on 1st April 1937.

SCHEDULE.

1. The office of Parliamentary Secretaries to the Ministers of the Government of Bombay.

2. The office of Part-time Professors or Lecuturers in a Government College.

3. Any office in the service of a State Railway, when such office is held by a person standing for election, or elected as a member of the Bombay Legislative Assembly by Ralway Unions Labour Constituency.

4. Any office in the Indian Territorial Force.

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[1] For Statement of Objects and Reasons, *see Bombay Government Gazette*, 1937, Part V, p. 30; for Proceedings in Assembly, *see* Bombay Legislative Assembly Debates, 1937, Vol. I, pp. 294–316; and for Proceedings in Council, *see* Bombay Legislative Council Debates, 1937, Vol. I, pp. 169-176.